Dr. S. John (*Surgeon-General*): (*a*) Several times.

(*b*) No.

Transfers of Medical Officers.

254. ***Mr. A. N. Satyanesan**: Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement showing the transfers of Surgeons, Deputy Surgeons, Assistant Surgeons and Sub-Assistant Surgeons, effected during the period between 1st Chingom 1120 and end of Karkatagom 1120?

Dr. S. John (*Surgeon-General*): The statement is laid on the table.

Revised salary of Medical Officers.

255. ***Mr. A. N. Satyanesan**: Will the Government be pleased to state the nature of the scale of the revised salaries in the case of Sub-Assistant Surgeons, Assistant Surgeons, Deputy Surgeons and Surgeons, in the Medical Department?

Dr. S. John (*Surgeon-General*): The† information asked for is laid on the table.

Medical Officer, Parur.

256. ***Mr. Paul A. Thallath**: Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether any complaint has been received against the Medical Officer in charge of the Parur Hospital; and

(*b*) if the answer to (*a*) is in the affirmative, the action taken on the same?

Dr. S. John: (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) The complaint was enquired into and it was found that the allegations were baseless.

Income from the Medical Department.

257. ***Mr. A. N. Satyanesan**: Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) the nature of the income from the Medical Department by the supply of medicines on payment system to those who can afford to pay; and

(*b*) whether the system referred to is in force with regard to all District Hospitals and Dispensaries in the State?

Dr. S. John: (*a*) A copy of the printed Schedule of rates is laid on the Secretary's table.

(*b*) Yes.

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* *Vide* Appendix III.

† *Vide* Appendix IV

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Appendix III.

[*Vide* Answer to Question No. 254.]

Statement showing the transfers of Surgeons, Deputy Surgeons, Assistant Surgeons and Sub-Assistant Surgeons effected during the period between 1st Chingom 1120 and the end of Karkadagom 1120.

Designation.	*Number transferred.*
Surgeons	Nil.
Deputy Surgeons	3
Assistant Surgeons	14
Sub-Assistant Surgeons	41

Appendix IV.

[*Vide* Answer to Question No. 255.]

Statement showing the revised scale of salaries of the Sub-Assistant Surgeons, Assistant Surgeons Deputy Surgeons and Surgeons of the Medical Department.

	Rs.
Sub-Assistant Surgeons.	
First Grade	100-5-125
Second Grade	80-5-100
Assistant Surgeons.	
First Grade	175-10-225
Second Grade	125-10-175
Deputy Surgeons.	
First Grade	275-10-325
Second Grade	225-10-275
Surgeons.	
First Grade	450-50-750
Second Grade	350-20-450

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